Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB452 S1		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled
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- **2. Patron:** Callsen
- 3. Committee: Courts of Justice
- 4. Title: First offender drug program; previous misdemeanor marijuana conviction.
- 5. Summary: This bill allows any person not previously convicted of any felony offense under § 18.2-251 (first offense) or under and substantially similar statute of the United States to participate in the first offender drug program. Current law prohibits any person with a previous conviction relating to narcotic drugs, marijuana, or stimulant, depressant, or hallucinogenic drugs from participating in the program.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item 8 below.
- 8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, this bill is not expected to have a material impact on courts. The bill is not expected to have a fiscal impact on the Department of Behavioral Health and Development Services or the Virginia Alcohol Safety Action Program.
- **9.** Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Courts, the Department of Behavioral Health and Development Services, the Virginia Alcohol Safety Action Program
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No
- 11. Other Comments: None